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**VIA ECF**

Honorable Loretta A. Preska  
United States District Court  
Southern District of New York  
500 Pearl Street  
New York, NY 10007-1312

**Re: *Giuffre v. Dershowitz***  
**Case No.: 19-cv-03377-LAP**

Dear Judge Preska:

I write on behalf of Defendant and Counterclaim Plaintiff Alan Dershowitz in response to the letter submitted by Charles J. Cooper on December 20, 2019 (ECF No. 98). Mr. Dershowitz intends to oppose Plaintiff's Motion for Leave to Amend her Complaint, and will do so by January 17, 2020, in accordance with the Stipulation and Order dated November 26, 2019 (ECF No. 95). We are mindful of the Court's comments made at the Rule 16 conference on December 2, 2019, and assure the Court that Mr. Dershowitz's opposition will be limited to legal defects in the proposed amended complaint which render the amendment futile.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Christian G. Kiely  
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cc: All counsel of record, via ECF